

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT, CITY MUNICIPAL
COUNCIL, MYSORE.

Notification dated 3rd July 1938.

Government having in their Proceedings No. L. 10430-11—
Ml. 139-37-19/1, dated the 29th June 1938, approved the bye-
laws for the compulsory registration of marriages within the
Mysore City Municipal limits, it is hereby notified for the infor-
mation of the general public that the said bye-laws (appended
below) will be brought into effect from 15th August 1938.

CHAPTER XIX.

Bye-laws under Section 51 (1) (f) of the Mysore City Muni-
cipalities Act, 1933, for the compulsory registration of marriages
in the City.

1. *Registrar-General of Marriages.*—The Registrar-General
of Births and Deaths who shall be the Director of Public Health
to the Government of Mysore, for the time being, shall also act
as the Registrar-General of marriages.

Similarly the Registrars of Births and Deaths shall act as
the Registrars of marriages.

2. *Purpose of registration is merely the recording of the
fact of marriage.*—The registration of a marriage will be a
record of the fact of marriage and will in no way affect the vali-
dity of the marriage.

3. *Information of marriage to be given within seven days.*—
Information covering all the particulars specified in Form No.
V. S. 3 (b) appended shall be given to the Registrar of the Divi-
sion within one week after the day of marriage regarding every
marriage that takes place within the Municipal limits.

The duty of giving notice of a marriage is laid, in the first
instance, upon the father, mother or guardian of the bride and
bridegroom.

Should these be unable or fail to give notice, the duty is laid
on the priest in attendance at the marriage.

4. *Registrar to register information without fee or reward
and to inform himself of every marriage.*—Every Registrar shall
inform himself carefully of every marriage which takes place in
his Division and shall register, as soon as conveniently may be,
after the event, without fee or reward, the particulars required to
be registered under bye-law 5, touching every such marriage
which has not already been registered.

5. *Form of marriage registers to be maintained in original,
duplicate and triplicate.*—The Register of Marriages shall be
maintained in Form No. V. S. 3 (b) appended in original, dupli-
cate and triplicate.

6. *Entries to be numbered serially for each year.*—In this
Register, the occurrences registered shall be numbered serially,
the series of numbers running from 1st January to 31st Decem-
ber for each year. No entry shall be interpolated between two
serial numbers.

7. *Written information received by the Registrar be preser-
ved for two years.*—All information received by the Registrar in
writing in connection with the registration of marriages shall be
filed by him and preserved for two years.

8. *Registers to be renewed once in two years. Registers to
be sent by the Superintendent, Government Press, direct to the
President for distribution to the Registrars.*—Each register shall
consist of seventy-two pages—24 original, 24 duplicate and 24
triplicate and shall be used continuously for a period of two years.
The Superintendent, Government Press, will print these registers
and issue them direct to the President for distribution to the
Registrars concerned, so as to reach him at least by the end of
November of each alternate year.

9. *Triplicate to be sent monthly to the President of the
Municipality.*—The triplicate pages which have been written up
for each month shall be detached at the perforation and sent by
the Registrar to the President of the Municipality so as to reach
him on or before the 5th of each month for being posted into the

consolidated Register of Marriages which shall be maintained in the Municipality.

If during any month no marriages have taken place, the triplicate form should be sent with the remark "nil" written thereon.

10. *Duplicates to be sent monthly to the President on or before the 5th of each month. The President to collect these returns from the Registrars and forward them to the Registrar-General so as to reach him on or before the 8th of each month.*—

The duplicate pages shall be similarly detached at the perforation and sent to the President so as to reach him on or before the 5th of each month. On receipt of these returns, the President, after scrutinising them carefully, should forward them in a bundle to the Registrar-General so as to reach him on or before the 8th of each month. When, however, some returns are not received on the due dates, reminders should immediately be sent to the defaulting Registrars and after obtaining these returns, all such late returns should be forwarded in a second batch so as to reach the Registrar-General on or before the 18th of the month.

11. *Procedure in the Office of the President. Check to ensure regular receipt of returns.*—A set of posting registers showing the names of the Registrars will be maintained in the Office of the President in which the returns received will be posted as they come in. When these registers show that returns have not been received by the 8th of the month, a reminder will be sent to the Registrars. The President will keep a posting register of reminders received from the Registrar-General and of reminders issued to the Registrars and will initiate disciplinary action against the Registrars who are frequently in default.

The procedure in the Central Statistical Office in respect of these returns will be the same as in the case of Births and Deaths.

12. *The original register to be finally deposited in the Office of the President.*—Each register of original shall be retained in the custody of the Registrar for two years after it is closed and shall then be sent to the President who, after careful scrutiny of unattested erasures and alterations, shall file it as a permanent record.

13. *Errors.*—Every error found in the Register of Marriages shall be corrected by drawing a line through the original entry (but not so as to render it illegible) and writing the new entry above it, and the correction shall be fully signed and dated by the Registrar. All such corrections shall be duly intimated to the Registrar-General through the President with the reasons therefor. The corrections, when approved by the Registrar-General, will be made in the returns filed in the Central Statistical Office and intimation will be given to the President for intimating the Registrars concerned.

Provided that no entry shall be corrected under this bye-law more than a year after the entry has been made except with the previous sanction of the President.

14. *When Registrar to give extract free of charge.*—The Registrar shall, as soon as the registration of a marriage has been completed, give, on application, free of all charges, to the person who gives information of the marriage an extract under his hand from the register relating to such marriage. For purposes of this bye-law, the register will be the register of originals kept by the Registrar.

15. *Search of Marriage Registers.*—Any person may, at any reasonable time, on payment of a fee of four annas for each visit, search any register of marriages. For purposes of this bye-law, the register of marriages will be the returns sent monthly by the Registrar through the President to the Registrar-General and filed in the Central Statistical Office.

16. *Issue of Marriage Certificate.*—Any person requiring a certificate of marriage may put in an application affixing a one-anna court fee stamp and enclose an eight-anna court fee stamp to be affixed to the certificate.

The application should state clearly:—

(1) The name and father's name of the party in relation to whose marriage a certificate is required.

(2) The date, month and year of the occurrence.

- (3) The name of the street and the Division where the event occurred, and
- (4) The postal address of the applicant for sending the copy.

The application may be addressed either to the Registrar-General or to the President who will forward it to the Registrar-General. On receipt of such an application, the Registrar-General will cause the return relating to the occurrence to be traced and a true copy of the same to be issued over his signature and sent to the President for being given to the parties concerned.

17. *Penalty for omission to give information.*—Any person whose duty is to give information under the preceding bye-laws and who neglects or refuses to give such information or gives false information, shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding ten rupees.

M. A. SREENIVASAN,
President.

Original.

APPENDIX.

MONTHLY MARRIAGE REPORT.

Registrar-General of Marriages.

Central Statistical Office.

V. S. No. 3 (a).

Village.....	Hobli.....	Taluk... ..	District.....	Annual No.	Date of Marriage	Date of Registration	Full Name	Name of father with age	Name of mother with age	Description	Address—Name of Street, Door No. Division, City, Town or Village	Age	Date of birth	Place of birth (village, hobli, city, street, etc.)	Occupation	Community	Marriage rites (Hindu, Muslim, Christian, etc.)	Remarks (widow re- marriage, etc.)	Particulars of previous marriages, if any.	Initials of the Checking Officer with remarks.
Bride ... }																				
Bridegroom ... }																				
Bride ... }																				
Bridegroom ... }																				

To

The Registrar-General of Marriages,

Station..... Through

Date..... The Amildar of the Taluk.

Signature of Registrar.

Original.

MONTHLY MARRIAGE REPORT.

Registrar-General of Marriages.

Central Statistical Office.

V. S. No. 3 (b).

Name of Municipality.....

	Annual No.	Date of Marriage	Date of Registration	Full Name	Name of father with age	Name of mother with age	Description	Address, Name of Street, Door No., Division, City, Town or Village	Age	Date of birth	Place of birth (Village, hobli, city, street, etc.)	Occupation	Community	Marriage rites (Hindu, Muslim, Christian, etc.)	Remarks: (widow, re-marriage, etc.)	Particulars of previous marriages, etc., if any	Initials of the Checking Officer with remarks
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To
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CHAPTER XVIII.

Registration of Births and Deaths.

Substitute the following for the existing bye-laws:—

Bye-laws under Section 51 (f) of the Mysore City Municipalities Act, 1933.1. *Definitions.*—For the purpose of these bye-laws:—

- (a) The term "division" means the area in which any Registrar of Births and Deaths is appointed to perform his functions.
- (b) The term "Occupier" includes any person for the time being paying or liable to pay to the owner the rent or any portion of the rent of the land or building in respect of which the word is used.
- (c) The term "President" means the President of the Mysore City Municipal Council for the time being.
- (d) The term "Public Institution" includes a prison, lock-up, lunatic asylum, hospital, reformatory, industrial school, barrack and any charitable or